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SUBJECT: RESTRUCTURING: FRENCH CANDIDATE FOR ESA UNDER SECRETARY

REF: (A) STATE 145124; (B) PARIS 20208

1. FRENCH LUNCH TO INTRODUCE RIPERT, FRENCH CANDIDATE TO REPLACE VAN LAETHEM AS UNDER SECRETARY GENERAL FOR ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS, TURNED OUT TO BE LOW-KEY "NON-EVENT" AS FAR AS RESTRUCTURING IS CONCERNED. IN ADDITION TOUS, FRG, UK, DENMARK AND IRELAND WERE INVITED. FRENCH DID NOT RAISE ISSUE OF NEW POST UNDER CONSIDERATION IN RESTRUCTURING EXERCISE. WHILE WE WERE PREPARED FOR DISCUSSION OF SUBJECT, WE DID NOT INITIATE ONE AS WE CONTINUE TO PREFER THAT CONSULTATION WITH FRENCH ON RESTRUCTURING BE CENTERED IN WASHINGTON, IF AT ALL POSSIBLE, AS PER REFTEL A.

2. PRIOR TO LUNCH, AMB WELLS AND ROUGE (OF FRENCH MISSION NEW YORK IN PROCESS OF BEING TRANSFERRED BACK TO PARIS) TOUCHED BRIEFLY ON SYG WALDHEIM'S MEETING WITH AMB KEN DADZIE (CHAIRMAN OF AD HOC COMMITTEE ON RESTRUCTURING). ROUGE ASKED WHETHER WE HAD HEARD THAT SYG HAD DECIDED
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"NOT TO MAKE ANY APPOINTMENTS IN SECTORS OF UN BEING REVIEWED BY RESTRUCTURING COMMITTEE UNTIL COMMITTEE'S REPORT HAD BEEN FORWARDED TO GA." FOREGOING BEING REPORTED BECAUSE IT IS DIAMETRICALLY OPPOSED TO LECOMPT'S STATEMENT AS PER PARA 1 OF REF B. VANDEN HEUVEL

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